

August 2017

City Council Members:

- Ron Bigelow, Mayor
- Don Christensen, At-Large
- Lars Nordfelt, At-Large
- Tom Huynh, District 1
- Steve Buhler, District 2
- Karen Lang, District 3
- Steve Vincent, District 4

Public Meetings:

City Council - first four Tuesdays of the month at 6:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers.

Planning Commission - second and fourth Wednesday of the month at 4 p.m. in the Council Chambers.

City Phone Numbers:

801-966-3600
801-840-4000
801-963-3336
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801-955-4000
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801-963-3334
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Website: www.wvc-ut.gov

City Hall Address: West Valley City Hall 3600 S. Constitution Blvd. WVC, UT 84119

City Hall Hours: Monday – Thursday 7 a.m. – 6 p.m.









Back to School Tips For Kids' Safety



Do Not Pass

It is illegal to pass a school bus that is stopped to load or unload children.





School buses use flashing yellow lights to alert motorists that they are preparing to stop to load or unload children.

Seeing Red



Red flashing lights and an extended stop sign arm signals to motorists that the bus is stopped and children are getting on or off.

All Stop



Traffic in both directions stop on undivided roadways when students are entering or exiting a school bus.

Crosswalks

Do not block the crosswalk.

Stau Behind





Traffic behind a school bus (traveling in the same direction) must stop.

Distance



Stop your car far enough from the bus to allow children the necessary space to safely enter and

Look Out



Take extra care to look out for children in school zones, residential areas, parks and playgrounds.

Stop



Always stop when directed to do so by a school patrol sign, school patrol officer or designated crossing guard.

Stay Alert



Children are the least predictable pedestrians and the most difficult to see.

Don't Honk



Don't honk your horn, rev your engine or do anything to rush or scare a child in front of your car.

Never Pass On Right -0-



Never pass a school bus on the right.

www.wvcpd.com





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GALLERY HOURS ARE MONDAY THROUGH THURSDAY FROM 9AM 30 AUGUST TO 6PM, OR BY ARRANGEMENT

Bark Post: A Monthly Column

By Amalee, Community Watchdog



Hot Car Heads-Up!

Summer is in full swing, and it's hot out there! On sunny days, it's tempting to bring us pets along wherever you go. But did you know that even on a seemingly mild day, the temperature in a parked car can quickly reach levels that can harm, and possibly kill me? According to the American Veterinary Medical Association, the temperature inside your vehicle can rise almost 20° F in just 10 minutes. For example, if it's 78° F outside, inside the car can exceed 90° F, and escalate up to 160° F if it's in the sun! My only means of cooling myself is panting and drinking water, so with no outside air and no water, my body's ability to function quickly deteriorates. Being unable to breathe, to cool myself, and risking death is certainly not worth it for an outing, even if I'm left alone only briefly!

If that doesn't deter you, I should tell you that concerned citizens frequently call Animal Services Officers to report dogs in parked cars on sunny days. You could end up with a citation, or perhaps the police being summoned to break the car window and me being taken to the shelter!

Please remember if you're going on a drive where I'm invited every place you will stop, you can bring me! Otherwise, love me enough to leave me home. Also, don't forget that hot pavement can burn my paw pads! If pavement feels too hot on your hand after a second or two, it's too hot for me to walk on. Early morning and evening are better times to walk us.

Thanks for listening,

Amalee



Thursday, August 17 5:00 - 8:00 pm Fairbourne Station Promenade

2810 West 3590 South

New location, new activities and new vision! The event will be a family friendly night of entertainment and helpful information.

- Safety information displays from approximately 20 vendors
- Kids activities (facepainting, balloons, bounce houses and more)
- Visits from McGruff the Crime Dog, Nat the National Night Out Knight, Grizzbee and some other superhero friends!

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- Live entertainment featuring The Otter Creek Duo
- Food trucks (regular prices apply)
- Emergency vehicle displays
- WVCPD K9 demonstration

Stay after the event and enjoy a MOVIE in the park once the sun goes down!







Construction season is upon us, and several major projects are expected to impacting travel in and around West Valley City. Visit www.wvc-ut.gov/construction to learn about these projects and find out how they will impact you.

Merit Badge Classes



First AidSeptember 28



Emergency
Preparedness
October 5 & 24

(2 session class)



Safety November 9



Fire SafetyNovember 16



Upcoming Events

August

- 1 Face of Utah Sculpture XIII Exhibit (through August 30) Cultural Celebration Center
- 9 WVC Watch Wednesday: Neighborhood Watch Chairperson Training City Hall, 6 PM
- 9 Community Meeting with Chief Russo City Hall, 7 PM
- 10 Professional Standards Review Board Meeting (Citizens' Review Board) City Hall, 9 AM
- 14 Senior Safety & Health Fair Family Fitness Center, 9 - 11 AM
- 14 Bicycle Safety Rodeo (Waiver required; for info email communityservices@wvc-ut.gov) Family Fitness Center, 4:30 - 6:30 PM
- 14 Family Safety & Health Fair Family Fitness Center, 4:30 6:30 PM
- 14 WorldStage Concert: Artie Hemphill & The Iron Horse Band Cultural Celebration Center, 7:30 PM
- 15 Municipal Primary Election Learn more at www.wvc-ut.gov/elections
- 17 Community Heroes Celebration Fairbourne Station, 5 8 PM
- 17 Summer at the Station Free Concert featuring The Otter Creek Duo Fairbourne Station, 6:30 PM
- 17 Free Movie in the Park: Fantastic 4 Fairbourne Station, 9 PM
- 18 Wasatch International Food Festival Cultural Celebration Center, 5 - 10 PM
- 19 Wasatch International Food Festival Cultural Celebration Center, 12 - 8 PM
- 26 West Valley City Triathlon Family Fitness Center, 6 - 11 AM

September

- 4 Labor Day Holiday City Offices Closed
- 6 Meet with Mayor Ron Bigelow City Hall, 4:30 - 6 PM
- 13 WVC Watch Wednesday: Mobile Patrol Training City Hall, 6 PM
- 13 Community Meeting with Chief Russo City Hall, 7 PM
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Harman Senior Recreation Center Calendar: www.wvc-ut.gov/harman